CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LODI COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL NOVEMBER 2, 1955

This regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi held beginning at 8:00 o'clock p.m. of Wednesday, November 2, 1955; Councilmen Fuller, Hughes, Mitchell, Richey and Robinson (Mayor) present; none absent. City Attorney Mullen and City Manager Weller also present.

Minutes of the previous meeting of October 19, 1955, were approved as written and mailed.

COMMUNICATIONS

JUVENILE OFFICERS Letter from the Chief of Police inviting the City Council to the annual joint meeting between the Northern California and the Central Valley Juvenile Officers' Associations to be held in Lodi, November 8, 1955.

REPORTS OF THE CITY MANAGER

AUTO SPECS

Specifications for the purchase of twelve automobiles and the trade-in of nine automobiles from various departments including the replacement of seven vehicles in the Police Department were approved on the motion of Councilman Hughes, Richey second.

CASI (SOCIAL SECURITY) The City Manager read a letter from the Pension Board recommending unanimously that the City of Lodi proceed with arrangements for the inclusion of the City's employees under the benefits of Federal Old Age and Survivors Insurance program. The Board recommended participation on a full supplemental basis and asked that an election of the employees be called as soon as possible. It also recommended that the program be instituted as of January 1, 1956. Councilman Richey moved, Mitchell second, that the City Council reaffirm the position of previous Councils to make Social Security available to the City's employees and to authorize the City Manager to proceed with the necessary arrangements toward that end. The motion passed by unanimous vote.

ABANDON POR. OF EASEMENT IN COSTA TR.

Mr. Weller presented a request that the City vacate and abandon the north four feet of a tenfoot easement along the south side of Lot 22 of the Costa Tract. He explained that there are no utilities in this easement and the City has re-(win. ceived an easement of four feet from the owner (2/1/55) of the lot just south of Lot 22, thereby giving the City ten feet if the requested abandonment is approved. He added that both the City Engineer and the Superintendent of Utilities have stated that the City does not have any use for the four feet in question. An order to abandon the north four feet of the ten-foot easement bordering the south line of Lot 22 of the Costa Tract was adopted on the motion of Councilman Hughes, Fuller second.

CLAIMS

Claims in the amount of \$71,639.03 were approved on the motion of Councilman Richey, Mitchell second.

CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

FENCE APPROVED The City Manager read a report from the Zoning Committee approving the erection of a five-foot fence along the property owned by Mr. Don Furbish.

REZONING NE CORNER HAM LANE & LOCKEFORD ST. The City Manager read a report that the City Planning Commission had approved a request for the rezoning of a parcel 125 feet by 125 feet at the northeast corner of Ham Lane and Lockeford Street from R-1 to C-1 District. On the motion of Councilman Hughes, Mitchell second, the Council voted to set the matter for public hearing on November 16, 1955.

ORD. NO. 542 ADOPTED

CRDINANCE NO. 542, ENTITLED "AMENDING THE OFFICIAL DISTRICT MAP OF THE CITY OF LODI AND THEREBY REZONING CERTAIN PARCELS IN THE NORTHEAST QUARTER REZONING SO. OF SECTION 11, TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST", OF LODI AVE. having been introduced at the regular meeting BETW. HUTCHINS of October 19, 1955, was brought up for passage & CRESCENT STS on the motion of Councilman Mitchell, Richey second. Second reading was omitted by unanimous consent after reading by title, and was then passed, adopted and ordered to print by the following vote:

> AYES: Councilmen - Fuller, Hughes, Mitchell,

Richey and Robinson

NOES: Councilmen - None

ABSENT: Councilmen - None

Mayor Robinson then signed Ordinance No. 542 in approval thereof.

HUGHES APPOINTED TO POUND COMMITTEE

Mayor Robinson then appointed Councilman Hughes to represent the City of Lodi in a meeting with the County Board of Supervisors and representatives from other cities in the County relative to the problems involved in the collection and impoundment of stray animals in the respective jurisdictions.

On the motion of Councilman Richey, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

ATTEST:

HENRY A. GLAVES, JR. City Clerk